

**GEORGIA STATE BOARD OF
EXAMINERS OF PSYCHOLOGISTS
May 20, 2011**

The Georgia State Board of Examiners of Psychologists held a meeting on Friday, May 20, 2011, at the Professional Licensing Division, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia 31217.

Members Present:

Marsha Sauls, Ph.D., President
Linda F. Campbell, Ph.D., Vice President
Carol Webb, Ph.D.
Donald S. Meck, Ph.D.
William F. Doverspike, Ph.D.

Board Members Absent:

F. Karl Douglass, Consumer Member

Administrative Staff Present:

Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director
Graham Barron, Assistant Attorney General (via conference call)
Serena Gadson, Licensure Supervisor (oral examinations only)
Yvonne LeSane, Licensure Analyst (oral examinations only)
Dianne Patterson, Administrative Assistant
Amanda M. Allen, Board Support Specialist

Dr. Sauls, President, established that a quorum was present and declared the meeting open at 9:00 a.m.

Agenda:

The agenda was approved as presented

Approval of Minutes:

Dr. Meck motioned, Dr. Webb seconded, and the Board voted to approve the minutes from the April 15, 2011 meeting as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Correspondences:

Correspondences received between scheduled Board meetings were reviewed and discussed.

- Dr. Alex Matthews and Dr. Jasolyn Henderson

Dr. Meck motioned, Dr. Campbell seconded, and the Board voted to allow the administrative staff to respond to all correspondences presented to the Board as directed. None opposed, motion carried.

Petition for Variance/Waiver Request(s):

- Dr. Christine McGuire, Evans, GA-Rule 510-2-.05 Internship and Postdoctoral Supervised Work Experience

Dr. Meck motioned, Dr. Webb seconded, and the Board voted to grant the petition for variance/waiver request. None opposed, motion carried.

Executive Session:

Dr. Meck motioned, Dr. Webb seconded, and motion carried for the Board to enter into Executive Session in accordance with O.C.G.A. §43-1-2(k) (1) (2), §43-1-2-(k) (3) (4), §50-14-2(1) and §43-1-2 (k) (4) to deliberate on applications, oral examinations, complaints, and to receive the Assistant Attorney General's and Cognizant reports. Voting in favor of the motion were Sauls, Meck, Doverspike and Webb.

Applications:

Dr. Webb motioned, Dr. Campbell seconded, and the Board voted to take the following action on applicants applying for licensure by examination. None opposed, motion carried.

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| 1. S.D. | Approved to sit for exam |
| 2. A.D. | Pending the receipt of additional information |
| 3. M.D. | Pending applicant interview |
| 4. S.F.C. | Approved to sit for exam |
| 5. P.P. | Pending the receipt of additional information |
| 6. C.S.B. | Approved to sit for exam |
| 7. D.S. | Approved to sit for exam |

Dr. Webb motioned, Dr. Campbell seconded and the Board voted to take the following action on applicants applying for licensure by Endorsement. None opposed, motion carried.

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| 1. A.F. | Approved to sit for exam |
| 2. R.R. | Pending the receipt of additional information |
| 3. Vitacco, Linda | Approved for temporary permit |

Dr. Webb motioned, Dr. Campbell seconded and the Board voted to take the following action on applicants applying for licensure by Reinstatement. None opposed, motion carried.

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| 1. C.G.H. | Pending the receipt of additional information |
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Dr. Meck motioned, Dr. Webb seconded, and the Board voted to take the following action on applicants completing the Oral Examination. None opposed, motion carried.

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| 1. Adams, Kristin | Approved for licensure |
| 2. Burnett, Todd | Approved for licensure |
| 3. Defife, Jared | Approved for licensure |
| 4. Gaynor, Brianna | Approved for licensure |
| 5. Hatch, Daniel | Approved for licensure |
| 6. McDonald, Daniel | Approved for licensure |
| 7. Perez Lopez, Mark | Approved for licensure |
| 8. Williams, LaRae | Approved for licensure |

Dr. Meck motioned, Dr. Campbell seconded, and the Board voted to take the following action on applicants completing the Oral Examination. None opposed, motion carried.

1. S.V. Denied. Must apply for licensure by examination

Assistant Attorney General's Report:

Assistant Attorney General, Graham Barron provided the Board with a status report which included information on any cases referred for action.

Dr. Guy O. Seymour, PSY000984

- **Dr. Meck motioned, Dr. Webb seconded, and the Board voted to accept the signed Public Consent Order. In addition, the Board voted to allow Mr. Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director to sign the docketed order in lieu of Dr. Marsha B. Sauls, Chair. None opposed, motion carried.**

Dr. Jacqueline N. Hill, PSY000445

- **Dr. Meck motioned, Dr. Webb seconded, and the Board voted to accept the signed Second Public Consent Order. In addition, the Board voted to allow Mr. Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director to sign the docketed order in lieu of Dr. Marsha B. Sauls, Chair. None opposed, motion carried.**

Dr. Meck motioned, Dr. Campbell seconded, and the Board voted to accept the recommendations on the Attorney General's report as presented. None opposed, one recuse, motion carried.

Cognizant/Enforcement Report:

Dr. Meck updated the Board on the status of all open complaint cases.

Complaint cases pending the receipt of additional information:

- PSYC110044, PSYC110052, PSYC110057, PSYC110058

Complaint cases pending an Investigative Interview:

- PSYC110055

Compliant cases closed; no additional information required:

- PSYC090017, PSYC100035, PSYC100058, PSYC110004, PSYC110014, PSYC110030, PSYC110041, PSYC110042, PSYC110043, PSYC110045, PSYC110046, PSYC110050, PSYC110051, and PSYC110056

Complaint cases referred to Investigations:

- PSYC110025

Dr. Webb motioned, Dr. Doverspike seconded, and the Board voted to accept the Cognizant report as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Cognizant/Enforcement Report Cont'd.

Dr. Sauls updated the Board on the status of the following complaint case. Dr. Meck is recused from all Board discussion involving the complaint.

- PSYC110047 Pending signed C&D Order

Additional Business:

1. The Board would like to express their appreciation to Dr. Linda Campbell, Vice-Chair, for her dedication to the Board and for working so diligently to schedule today's Item Analysis Workshop with PSI.

There being no further business, Dr. Meck motioned, Dr. Doverspike seconded, and the Board voted to adjourn today's meeting at 12:45 p.m. None opposed, motion carried.

Minutes recorded by:

Amanda M. Allen, Board Support Specialist

Minutes reviewed and edited by:

Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director

Marsha B. Sauls, Ph.D.
President

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